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TO HIS EXCELLENCY JIMMY CARTER PRESIDENT OF THE USA
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YOUR EXCELLENCY GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE USA IN MY NAME AND
ON BEHALF OF MY PARTY HEART-FELT THANKS FOR THE WARM HOSPITALITY AND
RECEPTION ACCORDED US DURING OUR STAY IN THE FRIENDLY-USA. IT ADDS TO
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FOR THE SINCERE EFFORTS YOU MADE FOR THE SAKE OF A JUST AND LASTING
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AS A FULL PARTNER IN THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS REFLECTS DEEP INSITE AND
WISDOM ON YOUR PART AS WELL AS KEEN INTEREST IN ACCELERATING PEACE AND
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THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE

Wednesday - September 20, 1978

8:15 Dr. Zbigniew Brzezinski - The Oval Office.

8:45 Mr. Frank Moore - The Oval Office.

8:55 Mr. Dan Corcoran, Democratic Congressional
(2 min.) Candidate, 37th District, Calif. (Mr. Frank
Moore) - The Oval Office.

9:00 Depart South Grounds via Helicopter en
route Andrews AFB and Atlantic City,
New Jersey.

1:55 Return to the White House.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
9/20/78

Landon Butler

The attached was returned in
the President's outbox. It is
forwarded to you for appropriate
handling.

Rick Hutcheson

FOR STAFFING
FOR INFORMATION
FROM PRESIDENT'S OUTBOX
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Mr. President:

The Steelworkers have opposed the natural gas compromise, in line with the AFL-CIO position. Their opposition was half-hearted, and they now expect to lose. In general, they are glad to have the issue behind them.

I suggest that you simply delete the energy section -- it was originally placed in the speech only because we expected it to be delivered on the same day as the re-committal vote.

Bringing up the subject now will not gain any new supporters, and will only revive an issue that the Steelworkers would like to forget.


Landon

no
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Mr. President:

Frank Moore says that the prospects for passing hospital cost containment in this session are not good, and he wants to discuss the situation with you tomorrow before you leave.

Frank and I suggest that you either omit the hospital cost containment section entirely, or strengthen the section by asking the Steelworkers in your speech to commit their considerable legislative resources to an all-out effort to pass hospital cost containment legislation in the last few weeks of the session.

- ☐ Omit
- ☒ Ask for commitment to support
- ☐ Leave as is


Landon



8:55 AM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 19, 1978

MEETING WITH CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE, DAN CORCORAN (37th)

Wednesday, September 19, 1978
8:55 a.m. (2 minutes)
The Oval Office

FROM: FRANK MOORE *F.M./an*

I) PURPOSE

A photo with the President.

II) BACKGROUND, PARTICIPANTS AND PRESS PLAN

A. Background: Dan Corcoran is the Democratic candidate for Congress in the 37th District of California. This is the seat being vacated by the retirement of Congresswoman Shirley Pettis. The District, which includes part of San Bernardino and Riverside Counties, is Republican. It has one of the highest median ages in the state. Pettis won her 1976 election with 73% of the vote.

Corcoran, a twenty eight year old teacher and businessman, is a political novice and faces an uphill battle. We have attempted to be as helpful as possible. Walt Wurfel visited two editorial boards with him this past August. Secretary Marshall did a Labor Day event for him.

The one issue he may mention to you is the City of Needles Power Problem. Recently electric rates have increased dramatically in the Needles and the nearby Fort Mohave Indian Reservation. Briefly, this situation is due to the fact that the California Pacific Utilities Company's contract to purchase hydroelectric power from the Federal government has expired and Needles must now buy more expensive coal generated electricity. This was caused by the failure of Needles, within a five year period, to set up a distribution system before the hydroelectric power allocation ended. Needles contends that it did not know about the deadline until a few months before it was to arrive and that it, not having the proper expertise (it has only a part time mayor), did not receive adequate Federal assistance

in dealing with the problem. We have had the local DoE people meet with Corcoran's staff to discuss alternative solutions to the power problem.

B.. Participants: The President and Dan Corcoran

C. Press Plan: White House Photographer

III) TALKING POINTS

A. Secretary Marshall's trip to his district was very successful.

C. Usual courtesies.

CONVERSATION WITH GOVERNOR BYRNE

We have learned that Governor Byrne is planning to approach you at some point along the trip to seek a commitment from you to sign H.R. 12841, which was passed by the Congress yesterday. The enrolled bill is not yet at the White House. The Governor has been active in the effort to pass the bill.

The bill essentially overturns a 1977 Supreme Court decision by providing that meal allowances paid to state policemen from the years 1970-1977 do not need to be included in the gross income of those policemen. The Supreme Court had ruled that the meal allowances provided by the States should be included in gross income and therefore taxes were owed to IRS on the amount of the meal allowances. The bill applies the Supreme Court's ruling only to the future provision of meal allowances and exempts the retroactive application of the Supreme Court's decision.

There are 14 States (including New Jersey) which will be affected by this bill. State troopers in some of those States may have tax liabilities of up to \$7,000 if the legislation is not enacted.

The Domestic Policy Staff and the Congressional Liaison Staff expect to recommend that you sign this legislation. OMB has not reviewed the bill and has no position at present, though OMB is concerned about the precedent involved. About \$6 million in revenues would be forgone. It is recommended that you indicate to the Governor that the legislation has not yet reached your desk, for OMB and DPS are still reviewing it. Therefore, it would be premature for you to give a flat answer about prospects for signature.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

September 20

Mr. President

Major-General Grigorenko is a
Soviet dissident now living in
Atlantic City.

He is to be an honored guest at the
Steelworkers Convention.

Dr. Brzezinski asked that we make
an opportunity for you to meet him.

He will greet you briefly as you
board the motorcade from the
Convention Center to the Luncheon.

fran

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to be the name 'fran' or 'Frank', written in dark ink.

Major-General Pyotr Grigorenko

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Major-General Pyotr Grigorenko (Grig-or-Enko) has been a key figure in the dissident movement equal to Solzhenitsyn and Sakharov in many respects not readily appreciated in the West. His background as a peasant who rose through the ranks of the Soviet military to become a general officer raises questions for the regime much more difficult to answer than those raised by technical and literary intelligentsia. As a former charismatic troop leader and professor at the Frunze Military Academy, he brought unusual qualities of leadership to dissident circles. His defense of national minorities, particularly the Tartars, made him a special danger to the regime.

Following is a chronology of his activities:

In 1963 Major-General Grigorenko founded the Union of Struggle for the Revival of Leninism, which printed and distributed leaflets documenting various Soviet human rights violations. In February, 1964 he was arrested for anti-Soviet propaganda and agitation. Instead of being tried, he was sent to the Serbsky Institute of Forensic Psychiatry, where he was diagnosed as mentally insane. In August, 1964 Grigorenko was stripped of his rank of Major-General, was demoted to the rank of private, his pension was adjusted accordingly, and he was expelled from the Communist Party. In April, 1965 Grigorenko was discharged from the psychiatric hospital. He continued speaking out against political and national repression in the Soviet Union, especially on behalf of the Crimean Tartars' struggle to return to their native homeland. He was rearrested in May, 1969 and again sent to a special psychiatric hospital, where he was incarcerated for the next five years.

General Grigorenko was released from the psychiatric hospital in 1974. He continued his fight for human rights and in 1976 co-founded the Moscow and Kiev Helsinki Monitoring Groups together with a number of other prominent Soviet dissidents. In November, 1977 the Soviet authorities granted General Grigorenko a six-month visa to the United States in order that he receive medical treatment and visit his son, Andrew, who emigrated to the United States in 1976. Upon receipt of the visa, the General was assured by Soviet authorities that he will be allowed to return to the Soviet Union after his six-month sojourn in the United States. On March 10, 1978 the General was informed that by special decree the Supreme Soviet had stripped him of his Soviet citizenship.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Phil has
seen

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

9/20/78

Mr. President:

Jim McIntyre has requested 5
minutes with you before the
3 pm inflation meeting.

✓ approve disapprove

Phil



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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September 20, 1978

MR. PRESIDENT:

I have gone to New York to do a fund-raiser for Pug Ravanel. Will return sometime Thursday and then plan to take a long weekend off, as I didn't have any time off while you were on your Western trip.

I will be nearby and available if needed.

H.J.

3:00 PM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 19, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

STU EIZENSTAT
BOB GINSBURG

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SUBJECT:

Anti-Inflation Meeting

You have received a lengthy memo on the proposed anti-inflation program, as well as a number of additional memos setting forth the views of your economic advisers. In order to help focus the discussion in the anti-inflation meeting, we suggest that it might be useful for you to concentrate on the following basic questions.

1. Will this program "work"?
 - (a) What is the likelihood that the program will achieve its target of a 6-1/2% underlying rate of inflation in 1979? (The 6-1/2% figure includes the 5-3/4% price standard plus the "slippage" we might expect even if the program functions well.)
 - (b) What is the inflation rate likely to be in 1979 without this program?
 - (c) Even if the program cannot meet a 6-1/2% objective, can it significantly reduce the inflation rate from what it might otherwise be?
 - (d) If this program does not reduce the rate of inflation, will it be deemed by the public as a major failure by the Administration or will the public regard it as a reasonable effort to cure an intractable problem?
2. If the program does not "work", what would the next steps be? Do we then really have to choose between some form of controls and high unemployment, or are there intermediate steps such as TIP, social security tax rollbacks, etc.?

3. It now appears that the procurement sanction will be relatively weak. You will not be able to say that the Federal Government will refuse to do business with those who violate the inflation standards. Will that make a fundamental difference for the overall effectiveness of this program?

4. Is the charge that we are headed towards wage and price controls likely to be extremely damaging or is it something that the public has come to expect from certain groups and, therefore, can be denied and taken in stride? Can we effectively defend against that charge?

5. Is this program likely to cause a major split with the leadership of organized labor? What are the political consequences if such a split were to occur?

6. If you decide to proceed with this program, what are the pros and cons on alternative times for the announcement:

- (a) within the next several weeks,
- (b) shortly after Congress adjourns, or
- (c) in December or January?

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MR. PRESIDENT:

These are the talking points which I have developed for myself on natural gas. I thought they might be useful during your forthcoming telephone conversations and meetings on the natural gas issue.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Stu".

Stu Eizenstat

20 Sept 78

TALKING POINTS

NATURAL GAS: Fair Consumers and Producers

1. Help our \$ by reducing trade deficit and our dependence on foreign oil:
 - o cut oil imports by 1.4 million barrels per day by 1985
 - o now import \$42 billion oil per year: ten times since 1972
 - o energy savings = other 3 titles (conservation, utility rate reform, coal conversion)
 - o \$ fluctuates with likelihood gas agreement
 - o Reduce deficit \$6 - \$8 billion by 1985
2. Provides predictable prices & real incentives to producers:
 - o 2 trillion cubic feet additional production + 30% by 1985
 - o end price uncertainty by F.E.R.C.
 - o 1985 decontrol
 - o make construction Alaska pipeline possible
 - o new interstate market
3. Protect consuming states by ending dual market structure where most new gas stays within state where it's found and allow previously gas starved regions to get
4. Help consumers by providing gas to homeowners and industries at prices below cost alternate foreign fuels
 - o incremental pricing: no overall increase
 - o home hook-ups
 - o increase supplies for industry
5. Opponents have no alternative they can agree upon; Marriage convenience; keep up 30 year fight.

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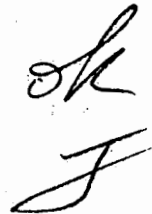
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Mr. President:

Mondale, Califano and Bergland will be making an announcement soon on Rural Health Initiatives. They would like to invite a number of folks to attend and use the State Dining room and East room for the announcement and a reception afterwards. This needs your approval for use of the residence for a ceremony without your attendance.

May the VP use the residence for this announcement?

Phil

Handwritten signature of Phil, consisting of stylized initials 'PH' and a large 'J'.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

9/20/78

Mr. President:

When you are ready to leave
your office tonight Hugh will
escort you to the solar energy
water heater model in the White
House basement.

Phil

ok
J

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

9/20/78

Mr. President:

Andy young would like to see
you a few minutes after the Cabinet
meeting on monday.

☒ approve ☐ disapprove

Phil



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

9/20/78

Mr. President:

J. Solomon called today
requesting a meeting with you
next week. Should I schedule
this?

Phil

*ok - brief
J*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

9/20/78

rick--

these are original "copies"
with authentic signature...
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state, nsc, jody and for
forwarding to begin through
nse/state

*have
long*
~~however, as an afterthought,
i'd appreciate it if someone
could make one more set of
copies for president's
personal file~~

thanks--susan

cc Tody
J

Settlements in West Bank and Gaza

Late in the evening, Saturday, September 16, 1978, Prime Minister Begin, Foreign Minister Dayan, Attorney General Barak, Secretary Vance and I were concluding discussions on the final wording of the section on the West Bank and Gaza.

Section 6 referred to the Israeli settlements, and as drafted in the American proposal, stated:

"6. After the signing of this framework and during the negotiations, no new Israeli settlements will be established and there will be no expansion of physical facilities in existing settlements unless otherwise agreed by the parties."

Prime Minister Begin objected to this language, and began to make several alternate proposals. They included: (a) a fixed time (three months) during which no new settlements would be constructed; (b) prohibitions against civilian settlements only; (c) right to build a limited number of new settlements; etc. All of these proposals were rejected by me.

Finally, we agreed on the exact language concerning the settlements, and that the paragraph would be removed from the West Bank-Gaza section and included in a letter from Begin to me. I told him it could not be a secret letter and the Prime Minister replied that the text would be made public.

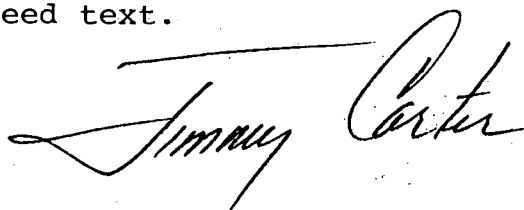
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"After the signing of this framework and during the negotiations, no new Israeli settlements will be established in this area. The issue of future Israeli settlements will be decided and agreed among the negotiating parties."

It was clear and obvious that the "negotiations" applied to the West Bank and Gaza.

Early the next day I informed President Sadat of the agreement.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. Barak brought to me from Prime Minister Begin a proposed text which differed substantially from that on which we had agreed. I informed him that it was unsatisfactory, and read to him the text on which we had agreed, which was still lying on my desk. He did not disagree with the agreed text.

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cc: P.M. Begin
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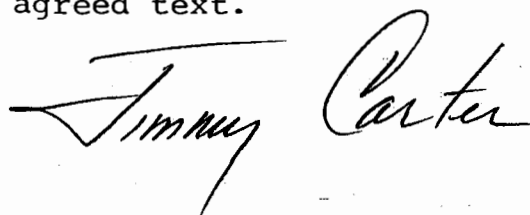
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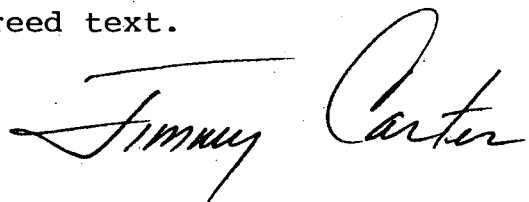
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Mr. President:

Ben Fortson called on
tuesday to congratulate you on
Camp David. He said for to keep
up the good work and not to worry
about what folks said.

Phil

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TO: SUSAN CLOUGH
for The President
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 20, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: STU EIZENSTAT

SUBJECT: European Community Steel Exports

Bob Strauss asked me to transmit this message to you:

I understand McBride will raise question of excessive European community steel exports to our market last quarter. You should know that I have been in contact with E.C. putting on pressure of anti-dumping actions by private sector and possible government action. Treasury also working on matter and has initiated contacts with foreign capitals. So far we still await useful answers but are aggressively pursuing.

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Mr. President
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WHITE HOUSE DC

DEAR MR PRESIDENT,

I REJOICE FOR THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE CAMP DAVID SUMMIT. YOU HAVE
GIVEN ALL AMERICANS THE PROUDEST MOMENT IN OUR LONG RECORD OF
SUPPORT FOR THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL. YOUR DETERMINED AND EFFECTIVE WORK
FOR PEACE WITH PRESIDENT SADAT AND PRIME MINISTER BEGIN HAS GAINED
THE GRATITUDE AND ADMIRATION OF THE WORLD. WE IN NEW JERSEY ARE
PREPARING A WARM WELCOME FOR YOUR VISIT TO OUR STATE ON WEDNESDAY. I
AM LOOKING FORWARD TO MEETING YOU AND TO OFFERING MY PERSONAL
GRATITUDE AND RESPECT FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO PEACE

BILL BRADLEY CANDIDATE FOR US SENATE (PO BOX 1978 UNION NJ
07083)

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
Sept. 20, 1978

Charles Warren

The attached was returned in
the President's outbox today
and is forwarded to you for
your information.

Rick Hutcheson

cc: Stu Eizenstat
Jack Watson
Jim McIntyre
Charlie Schultze

INFLATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL AND
HEALTH REGULATIONS

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September 18, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Charles Warren
Gus Speth

[Signature]

SUBJECT: Inflation and Environmental and Health Regulations

We wish to offer you any assistance we can in developing strong and effective initiatives against inflation. One issue of particular interest to us, since it has been raised by business leaders and some Administration officials involved with inflation, is the relationship between inflation and environmental and health regulations. We understand that the Chamber of Commerce and the NAM may raise this issue when they meet with you. We have investigated the issue and believe you will want to consider the following points in determining the future course of Administration anti-inflation policy:

° The only comprehensive quantitative analysis of the relationship between inflation and environmental regulations was performed by Chase Econometrics, and it concludes that these regulations do not contribute substantially to inflation. For the period 1970-83, the study indicates that federal air and water pollution control requirements will cause an average annual increase in the consumer price index of between 0.3% and 0.4%. Thus, any realistic relaxation of these programs would produce no significant reduction in the overall CPI. If the inflationary impact of these requirements could be reduced by 20% -- a substantial relaxation -- the CPI's increase would be restrained 0.1%. The net effect of a major relaxation could be the difference between a 8.0% and a 8.1% increase in the CPI.

° The total benefits of environmental and health regulations are difficult to quantify, but there is no question that they are very large: improved public health, reduced property damage, increased agricultural and resource yields and enhanced recreation and enjoyment of leisure time. The public perceives these benefits as well worth the costs: a recent national poll indicated that 62% of the public would be willing to pay higher prices to reduce pollution, compared with only 18% who would favor lower prices at the expense of more pollution.

° The political costs of making environmental and health regulations an anti-inflation target are high. An August 3 letter to you from a large coalition of labor and environmental groups stated that

the regulatory review program of CEA and COWPS "has become a serious threat to the millions of Americans who identify with the environmental, labor, and consumer protection movements. We believe that the program is undermining your support with many of those who have been your strongest supporters."

° Major corporations are currently pursuing a sophisticated media campaign aimed at making "government regulation" a pejorative phrase. It is too early to tell whether this and related efforts will pose a major threat to the framework of public interest regulation that has been painstakingly built over the past two decades. Regardless, Administration regulatory reform and anti-inflation efforts should not inadvertently contribute to turning public sentiment against government regulation generally.

In sum, we think there is little to gain and much to lose by cutting back on environmental and health controls for the sake of inflation. Agency efforts to eliminate unnecessary red tape and to avoid over-regulation should continue, and EPA's recent efforts can serve as a model in this regard. Administration regulatory review efforts should focus more on ferreting out old regulations that are anti-competitive or no longer serve a useful purpose and much less on new regulatory proposals in the health and environmental areas.

Civil Service Reform

Columbus Paper - Margaret A. S. 10/1

President Carter is "delighted" and the American people should be, too.

Cause for Carter's elation was the overwhelming passage Wednesday by the House of the president's civil service reorganization bill. The measure is similar to a bill passed earlier by the Senate.

A conference committee is expected to work out differences between the two versions and have a finished bill for Carter to sign into law before Congress recesses.

The two houses of Congress are to be commended for supporting the president's legislation, which is calculated to make it easier for federal managers to reward good employees and get rid of incompetents. Under the present setup it is practically impossible to fire an incompetent civil service worker, and some are paid \$30,000 a year.

The new bill "not only guards against spoils but simultaneously

promotes effective and efficient management," Civil Service Commission Chairman Alan Campbell said.

The legislation would write into law the merit principle to guide personnel decisions and to create a special system to protect the salaries and jobs of federal employees who blow the whistle on waste and corruption.

Under a reorganized civil service system, untold thousands of dollars could be saved while making federal government operations more efficient.

A shake-up of the civil service system, created by the Civil Service Act of 1883, is long overdue.

Now Congress, perhaps spurred by taxpayer demands for more efficiency in government, has been wise enough to pass civil service reorganization legislation which no president before Carter had guts enough to propose.

The president and the Congress are to be commended.

MARATHA BAPTIST CHURCH
PRAYER MEETING
SEPTEMBER 20, 1978

Plains, Ga.

"TO GOD BE THE GLORY"-----as He uses His willing and gifted servant-----the President of the United States.

We send our Christian love and gratitude for your tireless efforts in the "Jimmy Carter Summit Meeting". We have continuously kept you in our prayers. May God continue to bless you.

If you heard a sound like a sonic boom, it was an explosion of ecstasy at Maranatha over the success of Summit Meeting! We watched it all on T.V. and hoped the world got a glimpse of our Presidents Capabilities and love for mankind. Kasalyna we'll always remember the cheer of your face as you watched. We love you both and will continue to pray. May God bless you,
Margaret & Frank Whitbey

Thank You - God Bless You, Hugh.
I am praying for you Jimmy & Pat,
Ann Helen Rozenon

My thoughts and prayers have been with you. Keep up the good work! Jan Williams
God bless and keep our great President and our lovely First Lady - Leticia Shepfield

Jimmy, to-night at prayer meeting we have looked at, and read, Psalm 85: and Matt. 5: We had special prayer —

It brought to my mind, and I know you remember, our Chorus as we form our circle of love for our Lord, and each other, at the close of many of our services — "God is so Good", and it continues, "He Answers Prayer, He Saved My Soul, I love Him So, and He's Coming Soon" — Truly all of this is so true — and more!

"Thank you" and all people who's efforts have brought about this framework for peace — and answer to many prayers. May God continue to bless —

How touched we were as we listened to your message to Congress, telling the world you were a Christian, and sharing Jesus words —

Our love to you and yours, how much it meant to see you all on your past visit, how much we look forward to your next visit — and just think, we'll be in our new Church! May we invite you now to visit with us —

Another Chorus of truth we love to sing at Maranatha says "Let's Just Praise the Lord!"

Our love, thoughts & prayers to-day — and every day — Carol

P.S. Susan & Jill send their love to you all —

Neil & I are so pleased with the good work you are doing and remember both you and Rosalyn in our prayers. Love Lutz

I thank God that we have a man of God as our president, and also for your Christian wife. Our prayers are with you that you may continue to serve God and let him influence all of your decisions. Love Speegle

Thank you, Jimmy, for always bringing into your messages to the world quotations from God's word. I know it comes from a sincere and Godly heart. May God's blessings be on you and your leadership every step of the way. Ida Lee Timmerman

The Atlanta Papers said it took a "Southern Christian Gentleman", to which we add "with the help of Almighty God." Our prayers are with you always. - God Bless You & Rosalyn -

Ken and Irene Angel & family.

WE GIVE YOU THE SUPPORT OF OUR PRAYERS. MAY THIS "PEACE" SPREAD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

Tim & Peggie Lawson

We remember I Timothy 2:1-2 in reference to the Camp David Summit, and too the multifaceted responsibilities of your office.

Fred & Pat Collins

"Praise the Lord" for your efforts at Camp David! And thank you for proclaiming to the world that Jesus is a very real part of your life. We love and miss you, and we continually keep you in our prayers. Leon and Connie Collins

What a great peacemaker! We always knew
it would take a born-again Christian to do what
you did. We almost burst with pride when you
stood ten feet tall last Sunday night during one
of your finest hours. We love you and Rosalyn
and pray for you constantly. Ruth C

I am thinking and praying for you + Rosalyn
often. Thank God for Christian leaders like you.
Mildred Gilbert

We are continually praying for you & ask
that you pray for us at Meronaka
Reta & Dot

I pray for your continued success.
Charles Cammack

Please know that our prayers are with you as you
make decisions and lead our country. We are proud
of you. Dianne & Henry

We are so proud of what you have accomplished
we'll continue to pray for good results. Betty

We are so happy how things came out
and are proud of you and Rosalyn. The
Church and my family will keep you in
our prayers. God Bless you Love Eunice

we are praying for you
a great work you are doing
Proud of you and
Pasalynn, God Bless you.
Minnie Mims -

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

September 20, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR:

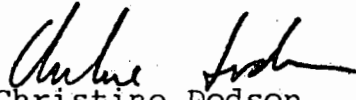
Mr. Peter Tarnoff
Executive Secretary
Department of State

FROM: Inscribed Photos for European
Leaders

Attached for dispatch are four copies of a photograph taken at the Bonn Summit which have been signed by the President for Prime Minister Callaghan, Chancellor Schmidt and President Giscard d'Estaing. The President wishes to have them all signed and a copy retained by each leader.

The Department is requested to forward these photos for signature and return the President's copy.

Also attached for dispatch is an inscribed photo taken at the White House during President Giscard's visit to Washington in May.


Christine Dodson
Staff Secretary

P.S. Call me, if unclear.

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CENTRAL FILES

DATE: 9/20

TO: Carole Farrar

Attached material for
NSC handling per our
telecon 9/19

FROM: *Jmc* Joyce Mitchell Cook
Presidential Correspondence
Special Reply
Room 91, Ext. 2276

DATE: 9/19

Susan Clough
TO: _____

In clearing draft as requested per your note attached, NSC suggested it might be more expeditious to have State forward photographs to Ambassadors through pouch, going from London directly to Paris and on to Bonn. NSC offered to write memo to State explaining handling and will do so if you have no objections.

Sounds fine
Mauls-
JK

jme
FROM: Joyce Mitchell Cook
Presidential Correspondence
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

9/18/78

joyce cook--

please see attached notes...
and then have an ssc drafted
asking them for their signatures,
explaining that president would
like for each of the heads
of state to have a photo
since it was such an occas
ion....or some such thing.

thanks--susan clough

(guess we'll have to do one
head of state at a time, sending
all to him, in which case i
suggest beginning with callaghan)

Susan - ask
them all to
sign - then one
copy us -
each of

MEMORANDUM

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

9/12

~~Susan,~~ Mr. President --

Once more, with feeling!

At Tab A I attach the best/friendliest picture of the President with President Giscard D'Estaing we could find to honor the French Embassy's request for a signed picture ~~from~~ the May 26 meeting between the two leaders.

At Tab B, I attach four copies of the picture the President asked for in his note (Tab C). I believe that this is the correct one because: 1) it was on display in the East Wing though not taken there and the President's note could mean just that he saw the picture while going through the East Wing; 2) there is no picture of the four leaders taken in the East Wing, and in fact there could not be one since during the NATO Summit in Washington in May the four of them were never together. You will remember that Giscard d'Estaing came earlier (May 26) just for a dinner and was gone by the time Callaghan et al arrived for the Summit.

The pictures I attach are from the Bonn Summit taken July 17. The display in the East Wing was about that Summit and included a number of other pictures on the same subject.

I don't know if there is a protocol reason that would prevent our President for sending a signed picture of an event of which he was not the host. Noone here seems to have come up with such a case before! But it is a fun picture and a most unusual one. Just remember that the President did sign pictures (one from the dinner and one from the lunch) to each of the participants of the NATO Summit. Also remember, however, that the ones to the French representative were of de Guiringaud, the Foreign Minister since the French President had gone. So I think he should sign the one at Tab A regardless of what he decides to do about Tab B.

Don't tell me that this is not more than you ever wanted to know on this subject!

Regards,

Charlie

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TO: LunnFROM: DodsonDATE: 20 Sep 7

James Callaghan

Helmut Schmidt

Other: Valery Giscard D'EstaingSUBJECT: photosExpanded Subject (If needed): for European Leaders

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Western Europe/Canada				Prepare memo for Brezhnevski
USSR/Eastern Europe				Prepare reply for
Far East				Prepare memo to
ERC & ROC				Prepare SP.
Mide-East/No. Africa				Recommendations
N/S Issues: Gen/Air/S.Asia				Concurrence/Comments
N/S: Latin America				Appropriate Action.
N/S: UN/LCS/et al				Any Action Necessary
N/S: Dev Economics				
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